

Lucerne Valley & Johnson Valley Municipal Advisory Council
Regular Meeting Agenda
LV Community Center, 33187 Highway 247 East, Lucerne Valley
Thursday, April 19, 2018 @ 5:00 P.M.
<http://www.sbcounty.gov/bosd3/meetings/LucerneJohnsonValley>

CALL TO ORDER REGULAR MEETING: (1 minute)

FLAG SALUTE: (2 minutes)

ROLL CALL: Roger Peterson (Chair), Jean Magee (Vice-Chair), Lorane Abercrombie (Member), Joanna Wright (Member), Jean Fuqua (Member) & Betty Munson (Secretary) (2 minutes)

APPROVAL OF AGENDA: (3 minutes)

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: (3 minutes) Minutes from the Regular Meeting of Feb. 15, 2018.

PUBLIC COMMENT: (15 minutes)

Members of the public wishing to address the Council will be asked during this section of the agenda if they have an issue to bring to the attention of the Council which is not an item on the agenda. By the raising of hands, the Chairman will ask any individual to address the Council at that time. Please honor the **Three-Minute** time limit when addressing the Council and complete thoughts quickly if noticed while speaking. All testimony given before the Council may be recorded. Since Council discussion of an item not on the posted agenda is not allowed, these concerns may be addressed in a future meeting as soon as is practical under "Non-Action Items". For "Non-Action Items" and "Action Items", the public will be given an opportunity to speak during the discussion of each item. If speakers wish to pass material to the Council, please hand it to the Recording Secretary for distribution. Legal, political, legislative, claims against the county, campaign, court issues and family law issues are not appropriate discussion for MAC consideration.

GUEST SPEAKER(S):

REPORTS: (5 minutes each)

- a) San Bernardino County Sheriff – Representative
- b) San Bernardino County Fire – Representative
- c) CALFIRE - Representative
- d) CSA 29 Report – CSA 29 Representative
- e) Third District Report – Field Representative – Mark Lundquist
- f) Land Use Committee – Roger Peterson
- g) Cemetery Committee – Jean Fuqua

CORRESPONDENCE: (3 minutes)

- a) If any is received

INFORMATION/NON-ACTION ITEMS: (15 minutes each)

- a)
- b)

ACTION ITEMS: (10 minutes each)

- a) Resolution Regarding Renewable Energy Policies
- b) Letter to Supervisor Ramos Regarding Sanctuary State Law
- c) Letter to Sheriff McMahon regarding posting of inmates release dates.

COUNCIL MEMBERS REQUESTS/REPORTS: (7 minutes)

NEXT MEETING: May 17, 2018 at 5:00 PM at the Lucerne Valley Community Center

ADJOURNMENT:

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**Lucerne Valley / Johnson Valley Municipal Advisory Council
Third District of San Bernardino County
C/O County Service Area 29
P.O. Box 459
Lucerne Valley, CA 92356**

To: Third District Supervisor, James Ramos
County Government Center of San Bernardino
385 North Arrowhead Avenue, Fifth Floor
San Bernardino, CA 92415-0110

Re: Resolution Regarding Renewable Energy Policies

RESOLUTION NO. 2018-0001

A RESOLUTION FROM THE LUCERNE VALLEY AND JOHNSON VALLEY MUNICIPAL ADVISORY COUNCIL (MAC) URGING THE San BERNARDINO COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS TO DIRECT LAND USE SERVICES TO IMMEDIATELY SEND RENEWABLE ENERGY POLICIES 4.10, 4.10.1, 4.10.2 AND 4.10.3 TO THE PLANNING COMMISSION AND ADOPT THESE MEASURES AS THEY STAND TO PROTECT DESERT COMMUNITIES AGAINST IMPACTS FROM RENEWABLE ENERGY PROJECTS. ADDITIONALLY, TO REQUEST THAT THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS SUBMIT A SCOPING COMMENT FOR THE DESERT RENEWABLE ENERGY CONSERVATION PLAN (DRECP) ASKING THAT THERE BE NO ADDITIONAL LAND ALLOCATION FOR RENEWABLE ENERGY DEVELOPMENT ON PUBLIC LANDS IN THE DRECP AMENDMENT.

Whereas renewable energy has been a major issue in San Bernardino County for three decades;

Whereas constituents throughout the LUCERNE VALLEY AND JOHNSON VALLEY have spent thousands of hours and considerable expense attending meetings, meeting with elected and agency officials and analyzing documents for both the San Bernardino County Partnership for Renewable Energy and Conservation (SPARC) and the Desert Renewable Energy Conservation Plan (DRECP);

Whereas two of the guiding principles of the August 8, 2017 Renewable Energy and Conservation Element adopted by the Board of Supervisors state that the County should: "Keep utility-oriented projects separate or sufficiently buffered from existing communities, to avoid adverse impacts on community development and quality of life AND "Conserve and sustain sensitive natural resources and habitats";

Now, therefore, be it resolved by the LUCERNE VALLEY AND JOHNSON VALLEY Municipal Advisory Council that:

1. We urge the San Bernardino County Board of Supervisors to direct Land Use Services to immediately send Renewable Energy Policies 4.10 and RE 4.10.1, 4.10.2 and 4.10.3 to the Planning Commission and to adopt these measures as they stand as they provide the best means of protection against utility scale renewable energy projects that would fundamentally harm the fabric of our communities.
2. We request the San Bernardino County Board of Supervisors submit a DRECP scoping comment requesting that there be no additional land allocation for renewable energy development on public lands in the DRECP amendment.

Roger Peterson, LV/JV MAC Chairman, April 04, 2018

Cc: Third District Chief of Staff Molly Wiltshire, Field Representative Mark Lundquist, Third District

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Re: The California Sanctuary State Law

California's recently enacted Sanctuary State Law is of great concern to the Lucerne Valley Johnson Valley Municipal Advisory Council as well as the residents of the Lucerne Valley and Jonson Valley Communities.

The issue of the Sheriff Departments and Municipal Police Departments across the State being forbidden by state law to cooperate in any way with Federal Immigration officials allows the Criminal illegal aliens to go free to commit crimes again and again is of great concern.

We understand the need for law enforcement to work to protect people who are not here legally, but are not criminals; however, the state law expressly forbids local law enforcement agencies from turning over dangerous criminals over to the ICE.

The people of Lucerne Valley and Johnson Valley want the criminal element to be turned over to ICE to be deported. There is no excuse to allow criminals convicted of serious felonies to be allowed to stay in the United States.

We urge you go to the Board of Supervisors and urge them to join the other cities and counties who are challenging this law for the safety of not only the residents of Lucerne Valley and Johnson Valley, but all the residents of San Bernardino County.

Sincerely:

Roger Peterson, LV/JV MAC Chairman, April 04, 2018

Cc: Third District Chief of Staff Molly Wiltshire, Field Representative Mark Lundquist, Third District

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To: Sheriff McMahon
San Bernardino County Sheriff's Department
655 East Third Street
San Bernardino, CA 92415-0061

Re: State of California's Sanctuary State Law

The Lucerne Valley Johnson Valley Municipal Advisory Council is a body whose members are appointed by the Third District Supervisor, James Ramos. The purpose of the Board is to advise the Supervisor of issues of concern for the residents of Lucerne Valley and Johnson Valley.

The matter of the State Sanctuary Law is of grave concern to the residents and the Advisory Board and we felt it is necessary to contact you directly with our concerns.

The issue of the Sheriff Departments and Municipal Police Departments across the State being forbidden by state law to cooperate in any way with Federal Immigration officials allows the criminal illegal aliens to go free to commit crimes again and again is of great concern.

We understand the need for law enforcement to work to protect people who are not here legally, but are not committing criminal acts; however, the state law expressly forbids local law enforcement agencies from turning over dangerous criminals over to the ICE.

The people of Lucerne Valley and Johnson Valley want the criminal element to be turned over to ICE to be deported. There is no excuse to allow criminals convicted of serious felonies to be allowed to stay in the United States.

We urge you to enact the policy that the Sheriff of Orange County and other Counties whereby you post online the release dates of all inmates in your custody. This seems to be a logical way to deal with the criminal element about to be released, so that any interested party would know who is being released and when.

We sincerely hope you will consider this policy and enact it as soon as possible.

Sincerely,

Roger Peterson, LV/JV MAC Chairman, April 04, 2018

Cc: Third District Chief of Staff Molly Wiltshire, Field Representative Mark Lundquist, Third District.